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For: METHOD FOR AN INTEGRAL COMPOSITE	:	
FORWARD FLANGE IN A COMPOSITE	:	

**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 7, 2006, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: